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TAGS: SCUL, PINT, CASC, IN
SUBJ: REPORTED EXPULSION OF U.S. CITIZEN, LEADER
OF KRISHNA CONSCIOUSNESS SOCIETY

REF: CALCUTTA 2009, CALCUTTA 2079, CALCUTTA 2092

1. HINDUSTHAN STANDARD, AUGUST 26 CARRIES FRONT PAGE PICTURE OF KRISHNA CONSCIOUSNESS LEADER WITH FOLLOWING CAPTION: "SWAMI BHABANANDA OF THE ISKCON (INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR KRISHNA CONSCIOUSNESS) HAS BEEN ASKED TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY BY THE UNION GOVERNMENT. THE SWAMI WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN VISITED BY A MEMBER OF THE U.S. CONSULATE IN CALCUTTA AT MAYAPUR, NADIA, JUST BEFORE THE QUIT NOTICE WAS SERVED ON HIM." NO OTHER CALCUTTA NEWSPAPER REPORTS THIS ITEM.

2. AS REPORTED IN CALCUTTA 2009, LIEBOWITZ VISITED ISKCON CENTER ON AUGUST 9 DURING TOUR OF WEST BENGAL DISTRICTS. VISIT WAS SUGGESTED BY NADIA ADDITIONAL
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DISTRICT MAGISTRATE BHATTACHARYA, WHO ACCOMPANIED

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LIEBOWITZ TO CENTER. OTHER DISTRICT OFFICIALS WERE
ALSO PRESENT, AS WELL AS A LARGE NUMBER OF WEST BENGAL
ARMED POLICE.
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